SIGURD ANDERSON
GOVERNOR

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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the men and women of the United States Marine Corps have served their country and their Corps well and faithfully throughout their long history from the American Revolution in 1775 to the shores and fields of Korea in 1950; and

WHEREAS, on November tenth of this year, the United States Marine Corps shall celebrate its 178th Anniversary as a fighting force for liberty and justice under our American Government.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sigurd Anderson, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby call upon the people of the State of South Dakota to observe November 10, 1953, as

MARINE CORPS DAY

the 178th Anniversary of the United States Marine Corps in an appropriate manner, whether publicly or privately, and ask that all citizens call to mind the motto of the Corps "Semper Fidelis", Always Faithful, as we remember the heroes of the past and present and, particularly, ask God's blessing upon these Marines, both living and dead, who have fought for us in Korea against naked aggression and Godless tyranny.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 6th day of November, 1953.

SIGURD ANDERSON
Governor

ATTEST:

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Secretary of State

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